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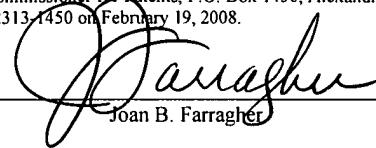
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir

In response to the Office Action mailed October 16, 2007 (paper no. 20071014), Applicants respectfully submit the following arguments in the above-referenced application, and requests entry thereof to place the application in condition for Allowability.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

Conclusion begins on page 10 of this paper.